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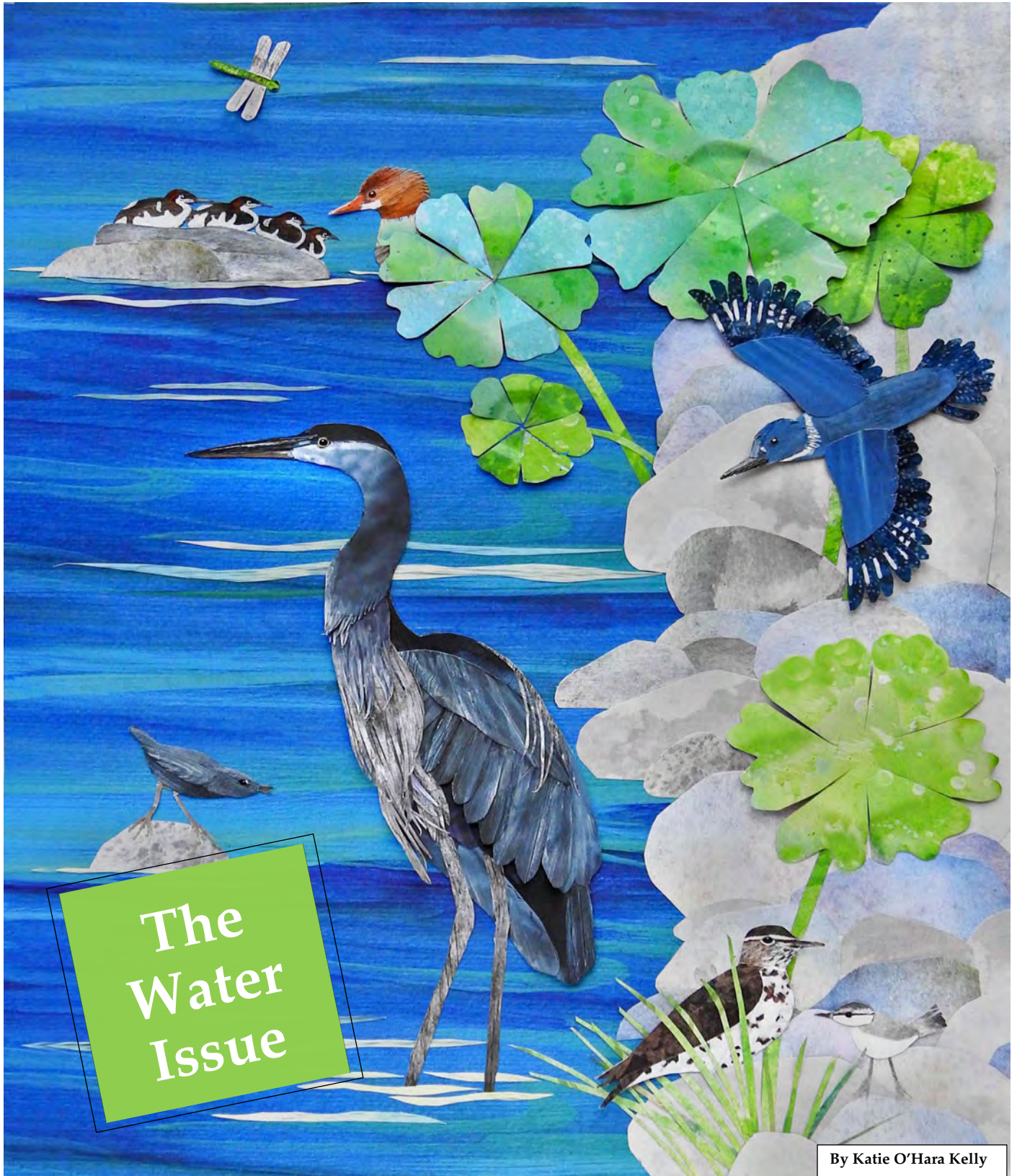
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The
Water
Issue

By Katie O'Hara Kelly

Editor's Note – Marcy Risque Greetings!

I hope you're staying cool and hydrated on these hot summer days.

Thankfully, our foothill area is blessed with rivers, lakes, and streams. Water is life-giving and never so much as during these dry months.

My theme for this month's *Courier* is **Water**.

According to www.USGS.gov:

The entire human body is about 66% water. Our bones are composed of 22% water, muscles are 76%, and blood is 83%. Our Lungs are 90% and our brains are 95% water.

The earth is made up of 71% water and most of that is salty. Only 3% of water on our planet is fresh.

It's important to remember not to take our water for granted, be grateful, and appreciate this sacred giver of life.



- Wabinoquay Otsoquaykwhan, Anishinaabe Nation

Changes at Your Community Center

By Richard DicKard, CCCA

The governing board of the Camptonville Community Center Advocates (CCCA) is changing. We are sad to lose Christina Ledson, our Treasurer. Christina has been invaluable since the very beginning of The Center. However, she now has her hands full managing the successful music career of her son, Kyle Ledson, and his band *Broken Compass*. The band is touring all over California, in Oregon, and this summer in France. Check it out:

<https://www.brokencompassbluegrass.com/tour>

On Monday, June 17th, the existing active board members, Jody Deaderick, Lucille Rovnak, and myself, met with people interested in joining the CCCA board. We are excited and pleased that Garrett McKeown, Diane Neubert, Shonti Burke, and Deborah Skinner said they would volunteer to bring their time and energy to the board.

We need volunteers to make our Community Center a continuing success. You can help make Camptonville an even better place for children, families, and adults by getting involved in whatever way you can – such as helping plan an event or a renovation project.

Email any of the following to join in and help:

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Summer Nights at The Center, Friday July 19th: Local Art Auction, Dinner, and Ice Cream Party!

By Caroline Fowler, CCC Advocate

If you don't normally spend time here, now is your chance to support this hub and check it out. On **Friday, July 19th from 4-7 pm**, The Center will have its first **art auction, dinner, and ice cream party**. Expect live music, the game of cornhole, and relaxed outdoor seating with room to dance in the backyard. Dinner will be served for an \$8 donation. Add a sundae dessert for a \$5 donation — toppings bar included! Kid's ice cream scoops will be \$1. Helpers are always welcome, so please reach out if you would like to get involved, at **530-288-5016**.

Our Local Art Auction features a variety of artwork created and donated by local artists. Original artwork, ceramics, prints, handmade jewelry, and drawings and paintings from young artists are on the list to be auctioned. Come peruse the art on display at this event and bid to take home a locally donated masterpiece.

I extend a special invitation for everyone who already supports The Center. With so many events happening, this one is especially important to attend as all funds raised help to preserve and maintain this shared space and keep it available for public and private events of all different kinds.

Many of you do a lot for The Center, and I'm inviting you to help in this way too. Please come for fun and enjoy a summer night in Camptonville.

The Saturday Market is Up and Running!

By Jimbo Garrison

The fabulous and wonderful Camptonville Community Market is off to an early and exciting start! What used to be a short two month season in August and September has been

getting longer in recent years. This year we got started in June and will likely be going into November. Head on over to the **Community Center on Saturdays from 10 am - noon** for superb local produce and all kinds of wondrous things brought by local artisans. You will see familiar faces along with newcomers, and with Coffee@theCenter happening at the same time, this is the place to be for so many reasons. Come enjoy the good vibes, good food, and good company! We love you all and hope to see you there. Local vendors welcome. **Please call Diane at 530-648-8032 for information.**



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CVFD Picnic T-Shirt Design Contest update!

*The new design will be announced in the August
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Bouquets to Art Show Saturday, July 27th!

By Katie O'Hara Kelly

Have you ever been inspired by a work of art? The *Bouquets to Art* show at the deYoung Museum, in San Francisco, is created by professional florists in response to works of art in the museum collection. They create floral art that is astonishing! The bouquets vary greatly in their interpretations. Some mimic the subject of the painting, while others are inspired by the colors or design of the painting. I find the show to be incredibly inspiring, and on several occasions have held local Bouquet to Art Shows featuring the work of students and community members.

This year is our **THIRD** Bouquets to Art Show, and **YOUR** chance to participate! Anyone can be in the show! You don't have to use flowers, you can use **ANY** medium to create a 3-dimensional work of art in response to a masterpiece!

- **THE BOUQUETS TO ART SHOW is on Saturday, JULY 27, from 10 am-1 pm**, only three and a half weeks away!
- There is a \$5.00 entry fee per artist to cover the rental of the CCC.
- Your "Bouquet" needs to be dropped off that morning at the Camptonville Community Center between 9 and 10 am, and picked up between 1 and 2 pm that afternoon.
- First, second, and third place prizes (by popular vote) will be awarded at 1 pm.
- Please email Katie at **northyubanaturalist@gmail.com** the following information **BEFORE** July 17:

1. Your name.
2. Name of the artwork and artist that inspired you.
(eg. *Sunflowers* by Vincent Van Gogh)
3. An image of the artwork.
4. The title of **YOUR** artwork (eg. *Loving Vincent* by Katie O'Hara Kelly).

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Ideas for Landscaping and Activities at The Center



By Richard DicKard, CCCA

Ten of us gathered at Saturday Coffee on June 8th to exchange ideas on how to make our Community Center look nice and function as a park and recreation area for children, families, and adults. Everything needs to be easy to maintain, safe to use, and kept natural looking.

Here are suggestions from the group:

- Deer proof/drought tolerant landscaping
- More shade
- A simple children's play area
- Spaces for games (like volleyball/pickle ball/croquette/bocce ball)
- Increased parking area
- Picnic tables
- A BBQ area
- A flat stage area on the uphill side in the back
- Lighting and water faucets for the back area (including a water mister)
- Portable fire pit
- A disc golf basket
- A water play area with a sprinkler/shower

The next steps are: get back together to develop a plan with prioritized goals; clear out the blackberries on the downhill side of the building to see how much space is available; and engage a landscape architect to begin a discussion on how to best accomplish our goals.

If you have any other ideas, please send me an email: rjdickard@gmail.com



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Community Wildfire Protection Plan Follow-up

By Lora Miller, CCP

Hello Camptonville! Now that we have concluded the initial Community Wildfire Protection Plan (CWPP) meetings, we want to say thank you for your time and attendance in helping to keep our communities safe during this, and future, wildfire seasons.

Camptonville Community Partnership worked with the Yuba Watershed Protection and Fire Safe Council (YWP&FSC) to coordinate, schedule and set up CWPP meetings in five fire districts here in the rural foothills. Each meeting was beneficial, providing fire insight to our small rural communities, as well as providing knowledge and resources for fire prevention of our own properties. Deer Creek Resources shared valuable information on how to keep fire from getting near our homes, then provided mapping sessions within each district's population to gather beneficial information for each of our communities. YWP&FSC provided information on various resources and free services such as the Residential Chipping Program, Defensible Space Cost Share Program, and Defensible Space Assistance Program, just to name a few. **If you were unable to attend this meeting or have additional feedback to provide regarding your wildfire concerns and priorities for our community, please take the time to fill out YWP&FSC's survey at the following link: <https://arcg.is/bavHb0>. You can also describe specific geographic concerns and upload photos here: <https://arcg.is/19GeTD1>.**

We want to keep our communities updated for future meetings regarding the data gathered by Deer Creek Resources and how it will be utilized, so please keep an eye out for future updates later in the year.

A huge thank you to YWP&FSC for helping us to gather for these important conversations. Thank you to Deer Creek Resources for all of the information provided and for collecting data regarding what our communities see as valuable. And a final thank you to our communities for showing up and being present to provide such insight.

Let's continue to practice safe, responsible habits during this and every fire season. Together, we can and will continue to build a fire-wise community.

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Rally Point Happenings!

By Amber Mehrmann, CCP

For our meeting in June, rather than doing our normal gathering at the Community Center, we had a combined "Nature Day" with the Foothill Youth Initiative (our youth group from Challenge). The day started with a hike to Love's Falls (which we pointed out as part of the Pacific Crest Trail); we then had ice cream which was generously donated by Cold Rush in Downieville; then we wrapped up the rest of the day at Rocky Rest Campground, having water fights, painting rocks, cooking over the fire, playing games, and spending time together. Not only were we able to take youth on an adventure in "their own backyard," we also had conversations about how important it is to be good stewards of the Earth; build connections with one another; and enjoy being out in nature. All in all, it was a fantastic day!

Our next meeting will be July 23rd at Willow Creek Campground in Camptonville. We will begin at 7 pm and end at 11 pm for a special late night summer activity. Please come and join us for games, a lesson on building a campfire/wilderness safety, s'mores, and campfire time!


If you are interested in joining us, we will have permission slips available (starting July 9th) at the Camptonville Resource Center located behind the school (open from 8:30 am-12:30 pm Monday through Friday). Or contact me at the number or email provided below and I will be happy to email you a permission slip.

Thank you for such a fun year and we look forward to seeing you all in July and the next school year! Happy summer to everyone!

Rally Point is dedicated for youth 10-18 years of age. If you are interested in joining our youth group you can join us at our next meeting or contact Tracey Munson or Amber Mehrmann at the CCP office in Camptonville at 530-288-9355 or amber@theccp.org or tracey@theccp.org.



Photos by Amber Mehrmann



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CVFD Update

By Elizabeth Zapata,
CVFD Administrative
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The theme for this month's *Camptonville Courier* is *Water*. I thought, how fitting. Doesn't the idea of jumping in the cool, clear water sound great?

I agree, but I am here to remind you that the water is cold and fast! I know it is not sexy, but, wear a lifejacket, you will look great in it! Have your kids wear lifejackets. The water is faster and colder than you think it is.

And do not – no matter how badly you want to – do not build a fire at your “campsite” – fire season is already here, and your cute little “campfire” can get out of control faster than you think. A puff of wind can pick up embers and catch nearby dry grass, and before you know it, it is too big to put out on your own.

That reminds me, if you see smoke, call it in!

And, as always, we need volunteers! We are all volunteers! Our roster has 12 volunteer firefighters listed, but only about five at a time can make it to calls. We need you!

And residents and neighbors, we need your help. Help us help you. Make sure your driveways and roads are trimmed back so our firetrucks can reach you. Keep your land as cleared as possible. Take care of the dried leaves and grass. If you have burn piles, don't let them just sit and get dry. Put a hose on every spigot. Make sure you have 100 feet of defensible space around your home. Thanks, and stay fire safe!



Camptonville History Resource Now Online

By Jesse Golden

Visit camptonville.com to click a “History” link and access the book, *The History of Camptonville*, created by teachers and students at the Camptonville Union School in 1966. Thanks to the Camptonville Historical Society for making a copy available for scanning!

The 164-page book includes illustrations by students and teacher Rachel Bachrach. The introduction details the process of creating the book, and concludes, *Whatever are the blessings of modern technology, one thing that is all-too-often lost, in those cases where it once existed, is a sense of social continuity, tradition,...history. It seems to us that the production of such books as this one, can produce monuments to the pioneering history of the American people that no technology, no megalopolis, can totally obliterate.*

The chapter titles are intriguing, though in need of updating: *The Land Before the White People; The Indians; White Settlement; Later History of Camptonville; Camptonville – Present and Future; Families*. There's also a mining chronology, a bibliography, a topical index, and an index of names.

The online copy is readable, but not yet in a text-searchable format, and is posted in several sections. If anyone would like to volunteer to do a little software work, it would be great to have the sections combined into a single, searchable book – contact me c/o cvillecourier@gmail.com to discuss.

Local Aging and Disability Plan: Have Your Voice Heard!

By Tracey Munson, CCP

Camptonville Community Partnership is working with The Yuba Sutter Aging and Disability Resource Connection (a collaboration between Agency on Aging Area 4, FREED Independent Living Center, and surrounding community-based organizations) to provide a focus group in Camptonville. The information from this meeting will help shape the Master Plan for Aging Local Playbook for Yuba and Sutter Counties.

We're seeking 10 individuals to participate in this focus group, which will be held on **July 22nd at 10 am** at the Camptonville Community Center. Ideally the individuals making up this focus group will meet one of the following demographics: older adults (age 60+), LGBTQ+ older adults, racial- or ethnic-specific groups, individuals/veterans with disabilities, family/professional caregivers, or Medi-Cal recipients. If you're interested in participating in this focus group, please reach out to **Tracey Munson at 530-288-9355 or tracey@theccp.org**.

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Early Childhood Explorations with 1,2,3 Grow

By Eugene Salganik, CCP


As June cooked our beautiful little town, our classroom doors closed for the summer. It was bittersweet, to say the least, as we celebrated our little graduates. Donned in caps and gowns, they stood with pride as I gave a speech for each child and we presented them with portfolios documenting their time in 1,2,3 Grow.

With the classroom closed for the season, we turn our focus towards outreach and community events. The plant sale back in May was such a success, I can't even begin to express my joy from all the feedback I received. I really want to thank Jesse Golden for such a rave review in the previous *Courier*. As I write this, I am eagerly planning another fun booth to be at the Country Faire at the end of June and hope it'll have an even bigger impact. Classes will be back in August, and I anticipate a whole bunch of returning students. Please reach out for any questions or overall curiosity about 1,2,3 Grow. We'd love to have you join us!

1,2,3 Grow is a parent-participation early childhood program for infants and children up to five years old. For information contact Eugene at eugene@theccp.org or call at 530-288-9355.



Kieran Mehrmann and Kinsley Thurman. Photo by Eugene Salganik



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A Look Back - *The Courier*

By Jesse Golden

Read the back issues of the Courier at bit.ly/courierpast or search by keyword at bit.ly/courierdigital,

20 years ago in *The Courier* (July 2004):

- Camptonville School graduates are Zsanique Aplington, Mike Cassell, Ruby Cook, Brittany Couture, Ned Cusato, Krystal Gross, Allison McLain, Josiah Parker, Shannon Paulus, Jocelyn Rapp, Danny Rasmussen, Iris Schwartz van der Meer, and Kimberly Billings.
- Jim Stuller gets the (parade) axe in honor of his retirement after 38 years in the fire service.
- Stephanie Ruff explains how to use old tires as vegetable or flower planters.
- Audrey Bowman describes "Our Helpful and Gentle Friend, the orchard mason bee."
- Heather Morrison writes about "The Ever Changing Forest."
- Shirley DicKard describes a Sierra Health Foundation workshop: "The results of the day really affirmed that people working together to build their community 'from the inside out' is what creates lasting change, and that we have much to learn and share from each other."

10 years ago in *The Courier* (July 2014):

- Yakshi Vadeboncouer describes 1,2,3, Grow, the free parent participation early childhood enrichment program.
- Mark Jokerst reports a "Drought Prepare Ordinance" for Camptonville, cutting water allotments in half if the water system is clearly showing signs of being unable to meet the needs of customers.



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prosperity.**

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people. This is very close to my
heart."**

- From an interview with Emily Hoppin in The
Overland Monthly, July-December 1915



Photo of Emily Hoppin c/o Shirley DicKard

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Rollin Smith's Letters from Camptonville, 1862

Brought to you by: Jennifer Nelsen

It is now July 1862 in Camptonville. The town anxiously anticipates the celebration of the 86th Anniversary of American Independence. Festivities will include a concert of local choirs, starring our very own Rollin Smith leading The Cambrian Choir of Camptonville. Rollin has put in much practice time with his singers and hopefully, all goes well. I wonder how many will attend, and where the event was held; unfortunately, we get no details in that regard. We do know that controversy will be apparent considering the political division throughout the community and the country at large. Strong political ideals mixing could be a recipe for trouble! Come let us find out.

Camptonville, July 2, 1862

My dear mother, I have often written to father directing my message to all of course and it occurred to me this morning that perhaps my mother would be glad to hear from her boy. I am having a vacation this week to let the girls prepare for the Fourth but am not idle by that means for I am now in company with the Postmaster here and we have discharged the clerk and I stay in the office. I have two weeks more to teach and that will close my career in that profession.

I do not know but father will be disappointed in not getting any money from me this summer but I can not very well send him any for I want to use it all and more too. I am to pay eight Hundred dollars for my interest in this concern — pay two hundred down and run my face for the rest.

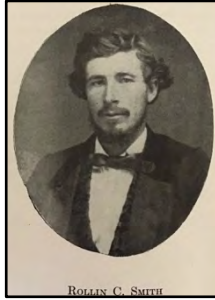
Our business consists of the post office and a stock of stationery and Yankee notions &c worth about \$500 and a Pony Express Route to the adjoining towns that have no post office. Besides we are agents for 120 daily papers, 50 weekly, and any quantity of other reading matter, so you will see that we have something to do. My part of the work is to stay in the office and tend to both mail and express, and if you should be in want of anything in our line just call on "Bears and Smith" and I shall be pleased to wait on you.

The good people of this town are making great preparations for the Fourth. I am going to sing at the concert as you will see by the papers which I sent father a short time ago. And as I do not dance shall not go to the ball in the eve.

Now please write me even if it is a short one and I shall prize it I assure you. Nothing more—love to all. Your affectionate son,
Rollin

Camptonville, August 1st, 1862

My dear father, I have been waiting some time to hear from home but no Eastern letters have come to this place yet although there are fifteen mails due. My school closed the 18th of July and if I ever was glad to get out of a school it was then for it was anything but pleasant to work when there was so much dissatisfaction manifested, and so many were ready to make stock of it.



The most fault that was found was by the Georgians who were hopping mad because I sung Patriotic songs. And when I held the flag and helped sing The Star Spangled Banner on the Fourth of July they were mad enough. I was quite sick when I was in Marysville, think it strange that I must have such a time when I get out of the mountains. I have been to Marysville five times and have been sick each time. Can lay it to nothing else then the change of water and sudden change in climate. Yesterday was the warmest day we have had yet, and I hope we shall not have any more like it. The thermometer stood at 102° in the shade for about six hours. I do not know why this country is so healthy for it is so very dry and hot in the day, and cool at night. Perhaps you will think I have a great many enemies in my school but such is not the case. Last week an old Dutchman who had a niece in my school called to pay his school tax and said he heard I had assisted her a good deal out of school hours, and wanted to know what he should pay me for it. I told him not anything, but he said he was much pleased with her progress and would make me a present, which he did, consisting of a twenty, and two five dollar gold pieces. Now that doesn't look very bad, does it? By the way, I got some photographs taken when I was in Marysville. I do not think they are good ones but they are the best I could do. I had on a thick coat and vest (to make it look better) and the thermometer in the room stood at 104°. From your loving son and brother, Rollin

I am including the illustrations from the book, including the Program of Concert, July 4, 1862 and the photo of Rollin Smith that was taken in Marysville.

Thank you for your interest in Camptonville history!



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2. Send Our Valors..... Sierra Songsters
3. Away, Away..... Sierra Songsters
4. Hail! to the Bold..... Camptonville Glee Club, The Sierra Songsters and Little Rocking, Miss Emma Andrews, Miss Helen H. Davis, Miss Henry Stanley, Mr. Rufus C. Smith and Francis Jones.
5. Anthem of the Valley..... Cambrian Choir
6. O, I am a Merry Sailer Lad..... Sierra Songsters
7. Silver Bells—Song and Chorus..... Camptonville Glee Club
8. My Own Native Land..... Sierra Songsters
9. Lady of Beauty..... San Juan Choir
10. Hail! the Land..... Sierra Songsters
11. The Sun's Day Song..... Cambrian Choir
12. Cook—Off all the Bitter Birds..... Sierra Songsters
13. Bang..... Sierra Songsters
14. The well to have a Merry House..... Cambrian Choir
15. Anthem—Crying Bells Follies..... Sierra Songsters
16. Not a Star Song nor Flag—Bells—J. O. Jones—Chorus by San Juan Choir

PART SECOND:

1. SHORTENING GLEES..... Cambrian Choir
2. Away to the Mountains Home..... Sierra Songsters
3. The Wanderer's Farewell..... Camptonville Glee Club
4. The Wanderer's Home..... Sierra Songsters
5. Chorus—The Lord gave the Word..... Sierra Songsters
6. On to the Field of Glory..... John O. Jones, Francis Jones and Ed. W. Edwards
7. Chorus for Ladies Land..... Cambrian Choir
8. Chorus—I am the Prince of Peace..... Sierra Songsters
9. O, Come girls Me..... Camptonville Glee Club
10. Master and Pupil—Song..... Master, E. W. Smith, Emily E. Jones
11. By which I French Song..... Cambrian Choir
12. Song..... Mrs and Miss Francis Jones
13. Anthem—Baptist Hymn..... Sierra Songsters
14. Solo..... John O. Jones

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Patricia Yaeger

Patricia Yaeger of Camptonville passed away on May 1st of this year. She was born Patricia Marie Yaeger on July 4, 1947 in San Jose to Lawrence Karl Yaeger, originally of North Dakota and Barbara Ellen Shaffer from the Vallejo area.

Patricia's main interest was in animal husbandry. She raised Great Pyrenees dogs to protect her animals, especially her goats and sheep.

She loved living on the Pendola Ranch and Skyline Ranch the most, an area rich in the history of our great state. Her sister Paulette wants to thank the Pendola family for providing a place for her to settle. She loved to let her animals graze there and consume brush to help reduce fire danger.

She enjoyed gardening and grew vegetables, flowers, and herbs, and liked to gather local plants.

Her sister Paulette would visit and they would travel all around the local area. Patricia especially loved visiting Downieville. Paulette shares, "I will miss my sister forever!"

Patricia, also known as Oshala, also loved being a member of the Red Cedar Circle, a local prayer group who meet, sing, and pray together and study Native American Culture.

Prayer for Patricia

In memory of Patricia Yaeger

May you be standing in the pure light
dear Patricia.
May all your beloved animals
rush to meet you.
May you be surrounded with their unconditional love
of being just who they are.
May you rest in the unconditioned essence
of being just who you are.
May the pain of betrayals, abuses, humiliations
sufferings of body, agonies of soul
slip their material grip on your spirit
released now and full of the goodness
you cultivated—garden, flock, herd,
herb and wildflower, apple tree and peach.
May you inhale the fragrance of sweetness
and feast at the feet of Ponderosas.
May wild horses greet you
at the now-open gate.
May you be happy.
May you be free.



~ Diane Pendola
May 2, 2024



She lived in the Tassajara Wilderness, Santa Cruz, and Watsonville before settling in Camptonville, where she spent most of her life, and more recently in the North San Juan area. She has many friends in this area and will be missed by many.

Please join us for a potluck **Celebration of Life** on **Saturday, July 27th at 5 pm at the Camptonville Community Center** at 15333 Cleveland Avenue in Camptonville.

Summer Fun at the SJR Family Resource Center!

By Diane Pasquini

Camptonville kids are invited to join in the fun at San Juan Ridge Family Resource Center's camps this summer.

Sports Camps are devoted to active play. New friendships are forged, and old ones strengthened as kids play a variety of sports and games on the grassy field and in the Oak Tree Lodge. **Junior Sports Camp** for young athletes 5-7 years old, **Intermediate Sports Camp** for kids 8-10 years old, and **Senior Sports Camp** for 11-13-year-olds provide weeks of active fun for all.

From **July 29th-August 2nd**, **Art Camp** provides high quality arts experiences for 1-8th grade artists. Art Camp culminates with a camp-wide performance and art show, showcasing campers' work to their families and community.



All camps are presented by the **San Juan Ridge Family Resource Center** on the Oak Tree School Campus. Campers must be pre-enrolled to participate. In addition to a simple enrollment form, and emergency form, and a media release, proof of vaccination is now necessary to attend. Campers are enrolled on a first come-first served basis. No one is ever turned away for lack of funds and camperships are available.

For more information or to enroll come by the FRC or call 530-202-3174.

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- **SENIOR SPORTS CAMP** for 11-13 yr olds. July 22-26, 9:30-2:30/\$50 per camper
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- Community Services District (CCSD) ————— 288-3676
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July 19 – Summer Nights @ the Center, 4-7 pm (pg 3)
July 23 – Rally Point Fun, 7-11 pm Willow Creek (pg 6)
July 27 – Bouquets to Arts Art Show 10-1pm (pg 4)

Weekly Events – CCC = Camptonville Community Center

Tuesdays: Yoga, 5 pm, School Gym,
Contact 530-798-6778
Wednesdays: Camptonville Fire Department Trainings
6-9 pm, Firehall
Fridays: Harmony Health Clinic on Wheels,
9:30 am-3:30 pm, CCC
Saturdays: Coffee@The Center and Community Market
10 am-noon, CCC

Monthly Events

CCP Board - 3rd Wednesday, 1 pm, Resource Center.
530-288-9355
CCSD Board - 4th Thursday, 5:30 pm, CCC, 288-3676
School Board - 3rd Thursday 5 pm, CV School,
530-288-3277
Thirsty Thursday - 2nd Thursday, 5-7 pm, CCC
Rally Point - July 23rd, 7 pm, Willow Creek Campground
Photo, left: Lucille Rovnak; background and photo, right: Marcy R.